GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
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Sale of Coal by CIL
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Coal India Limited (CIL) is struggling to sell all the coal it currently produces;
(b) if so, the reasons therefore; and
(c) the target set for sale of coal by CIL during the current financial year and the achievements made till date?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (I/C) IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL, POWER, NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY AND MINES
(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)
(a) & (b): During the 1stquarter of the current financial year 2017-18, Coal India Limited (CIL) produced 118.86 Million Tonnes (MT) of coaland achieved offtake of 137.31 MT. The offtake includes liquidation of about 18.45 MT of coal from the opening stock as on 01.04.2017.As such, CIL is not facing any problem to sell the coal it is currently producing.

(c). The offtake target of CIL for the financial year 2017-18 is 600 MT. Against the offtake target of 149.275 MT for the 1st quarterof 2017-18, the actual offtake has been 137.356 MTwhich is 92% of the quarterly target.
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